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WASHINGTON (UPI) - THE SOVIET UNION IS INFILTRATING AGENTS INTO IRAN TO UNDERMINE THAT COUNTRY, CIA DIRECTOR STANSFIELD TURNER SAID TODAY.

"THE SOVIET UNION IS VERY ACTIVE IN A COVERT PROGRAM IN IRAN, INFILTRATING AGENTS INTO THE COUNTRY TO UNDERMINE THE COUNTRY THEY ARE OSTENSIBLY TRYING TO COURT," TURNER TOLD THE SENATE ENERGY COMMITTEE.

"THERE ARE INCREASING SIGNS OF SABOTAGE IN THE OIL FIELDS, AND DISCONTENT BY THE WORKERS," HE SAID.

TURNER ALSO SAID A TOTAL CUTOFF OF IRANIAN OIL SUPPLIES WOULD HAVE VERY LITTLE IMPACT NOW BECAUSE OF A CURRENT, BUT TEMPORARY, OIL GLUT ON WORLD MARKETS.

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